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Inventor: Eric G. Suder et al

For: QUALITY OF SERVICE IN A VOICE OVER IP TELEPHONE SYSTEM

Enclosed are:

- ☒ Patent Specification
- ☒ 13 sheets of drawing(s)
- ☐ An assignment of the invention to Estech Systems, Inc. (includes Recordation Form Cover Sheet).
- ☐ A certified copy of a \_\_\_ application.
- ☐ An associate power of attorney
- ☒ Information Disclosure Statement, PTO 1449 and copies of references.
- ☒ Applicant claims small entity status (37 C.F.R. 1.27).
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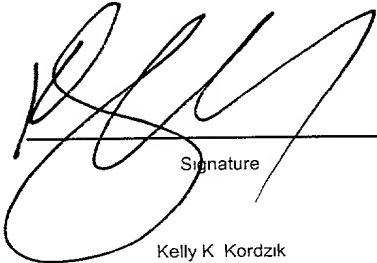
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